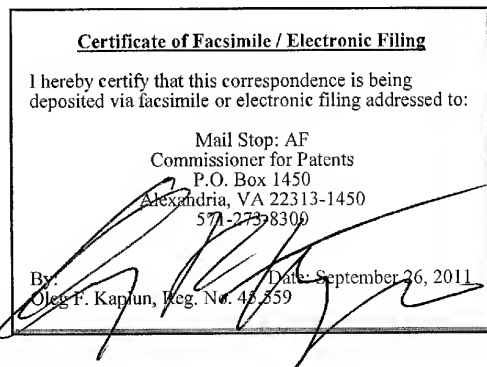


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Transmitted herewith please find an Amendment under Rule 116 in response to the Final Office Action mailed on June 21, 2011 for filing in the above-identified application. Applicant hereby requests a one-month extension of time. Please charge the credit card of Fay Kaplun & Marcin, LLP in the amount of \$150.00 (PTO Form 2038) for the extension fees. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees to the **Deposit Account of Fay Kaplun & Marcin, LLP No. 50-1492.**

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